

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Atty. Docket

GEERT FRANK BRUYNSTEEN

US0000052

Serial No. 09/521,051

Group Art Unit 2786

Filed: MARCH 8, 2000

BUSINESS MODEL FOR LEASING STORAGE ON A DIGITAL RECORDER

Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.97

Sir:

Enclosed is a Form PTO-1449 and copies of documents listed thereon. These documents are considered to be relevant in that they have been:

considered in drafting the specification of the above-referenced application;

cited in the specification of the above-referenced application; or

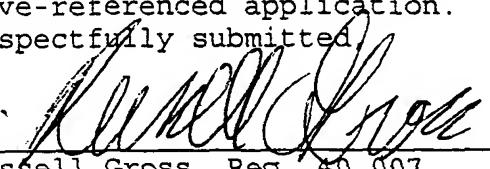
cited as an "X" or "Y" document in a foreign Patent Office search report on a foreign counterpart application a copy of which report is also enclosed.

I hereby certify that these documents were cited in said search report not more than three (3) months ago.

Please charge any fee under 1.17(p) for this Information Disclosure Statement to be considered, not exceeding \$240.00, to Account No. 14-1270.

If readily available, English-language counterparts have been substituted for foreign-language patent documents. This disclosure is not an admission that any of these documents is material to or even prior art with respect to the above-referenced application.

Respectfully submitted

By 
Russell Gross, Reg. #0,007
Attorney
(914) 333-9619

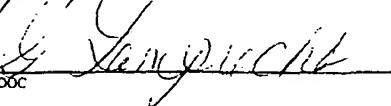
Enc.: Form PTO-1449
Search Report
Reference(s) (2)

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited this date with the United States Postal Service as first-class mail in an envelope addressed to:

COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS
Washington, D.C. 20231

On 10/30/2001

By 
C:\WP\PRIORART.VK.DOC

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of
GEERT FRANK BRUYNSTEEN
Serial No. 09/521,051
Filed: MARCH 8, 2000

Atty. Docket
US0000052
Group Art Unit 2786

BUSINESS MODEL FOR LEASING STORAGE ON A DIGITAL RECORDER
Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.97

Sir:

Enclosed is a Form PTO-1449 and copies of documents listed thereon. These documents are considered to be relevant in that they have been:

considered in drafting the specification of the above-referenced application;

cited in the specification of the above-referenced application; or

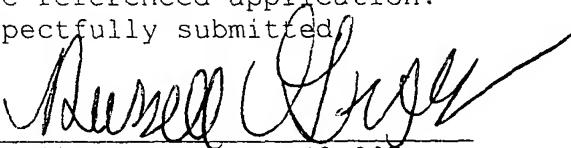
cited in a foreign Patent Office search report.

I hereby certify that these documents were cited in
 said search report not more than three (3) months ago.

Please charge any fee under 1.17(p) for this Information Disclosure Statement to be considered, not exceeding \$240.00, to Account No. 14-1270.

If readily available, English-language counterparts have been substituted for foreign-language patent documents. This disclosure is not an admission that any of these documents is material to or even prior art with respect to the above-referenced application.

Respectfully submitted,

By 
Russell Gross, Reg. 40,007
Attorney
(914) 333-9619

Enc.: Form PTO-1449
Search Report
References (1)

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited this date with the United States Postal Service as first-class mail in an envelope addressed to:

COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS

Washington, D.C. 20231

On 03/23/00

By J. Lampert

F:\WPDOCS\VK\MX234\0.BDO.DOC

| | | | |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------------|---|-------------|
| Notice of References Cited | Application/Control No. | Applicant(s)/Patent Under Reexamination | |
| | 09/521,051 | BRUYNSTEEN, GEERT FRANK | |
| Examiner | Art Unit | | Page 1 of 1 |
| Scott Beliveau | 2614 | | |

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

| * | | Document Number Country Code-Number-Kind Code | Date MM-YYYY | Name | Classification |
|---|---|--|-----------------|----------------------|----------------|
| | A | US-6,345,388 | 02-2002 | Nishio et al. | 725/93 |
| | B | US-6,374,406 | 04-2002 | Hirata, Shinichi | 725/132 |
| | C | US-5,909,238 | 06-1999 | Nagashima et al. | 725/5 |
| | D | US-6,157,377 | 12-2000 | Shah-Nazaroff et al. | 725/1 |
| | E | US-6,047,128 | 04-2000 | Zander, Wolfgang | 717/173 |
| | F | US-6,012,088 | 01-2000 | Li et al. | 709/219 |
| | G | US- | | | |
| | H | US- | | | |
| | I | US- | | | |
| | J | US- | | | |
| | K | US- | | | |
| | L | US- | | | |
| | M | US- | | | |

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

| * | | Document Number Country Code-Number-Kind Code | Date MM-YYYY | Country | Name | Classification |
|---|---|--|-----------------|---------|------|----------------|
| | N | | | | | |
| | O | | | | | |
| | P | | | | | |
| | Q | | | | | |
| | R | | | | | |
| | S | | | | | |
| | T | | | | | |

NON-PATENT DOCUMENTS

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| * | | Include as applicable: Author, Title Date, Publisher, Edition or Volume, Pertinent Pages) |
| | U | |
| | V | |
| | W | |
| | X | |

*A copy of this reference is not being furnished with this Office action. (See MPEP § 707.05(a).)
Dates in MM-YYYY format are publication dates. Classifications may be US or foreign.

| Form PTO-1449 U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE (REV. 7-80) PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE | | | | | | | | Atty. Docket No. US000052 | Serial No. 09/521,051 | | | | | | |
|---|----|--------------------|---|---|---|---|------|------------------------------|--------------------------|---------|---------------|---------------------------|---------------|--------|----|
| Applicant GEERT FRANK BRUYNSTEEN | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| INFORMATION DISCLOSURE CITATION (Use several sheets if necessary) | | | | | | | | Filing Date MARCH 8, 2000 | Group 2786 | | | | | | |
| U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Ex. Int. | | Document Number | | | | | Date | Name | | Class | Sub- class | Filing Date If Approp. | | | |
| | AA | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | AB | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | AC | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | AD | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | AE | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | AF | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | Document Number | | | | | | | Date | Country | | Class | Sub- class | Trans. | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Yes | No |
| | AG | 0 | 7 | 8 | 5 | 6 | 8 | 6 | 07/23/97 | EUROPE | | | | X | |
| | AH | 0 | 7 | 5 | 1 | 6 | 8 | 5 | 01/02/97 | EUROPE | | | | X | |
| | AI | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | AJ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | AK | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| OTHER (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | AL | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | AM | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | AN | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Examiner | | | | | | | | Date Considered | | | | | | | |
| *EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include a copy this form with next communication to applicant. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |